

Executive
Proclamation
State of South Dakota
Office Of The Governor

WHEREAS, The American Legion, Green Thumb, Job Service and many employers promote employment of older workers by evaluating each applicant as to ability; and,

WHEREAS, Learning new skills is not related to age, but depends on an individual's adaptability; and,

WHEREAS, Many older workers exceed the average in performance and productivity output; and,

WHEREAS, Older workers have a proven record of great stability on the job;
and,

WHEREAS, Older workers should be encouraged to remain in the workforce, either full or part-time, to increase productivity and contribute to society:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, WILLIAM J. JANKLOW, Governor of the State of South Dakota, do hereby proclaim the week of March 8 through 14, 1981, as

EMPLOY THE OLDER WORKER WEEK

In South Dakota and urge all South Dakota employers to give continued support to employment needs of this state's older workers, and I encourage public awareness of valuable skills, knowledge and experience of our older citizens.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto
set my hand and caused to be affixed
the Great Seal of the State of South
Dakota, in Pierre, the Capital City,
this Twenty-third Day of February,
in the Year of Our Lord, Nineteen
Hundred and Eighty-One

~~WILLIAM J. JANKLOW, GOVERNOR~~

ATTEST:

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ALICE KUNDERT, SECRETARY OF STATE